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PAW PAW MICHIGAN, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1882.

WHOLE NO. 1435:

Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Millinery, Etc.—Sellick.

W. J. & R. SELICK,
OFFER THIS WEEK THE FOLLOWING AT VERY LOW PRICES:

LONSDALE Bleached Cotton per yard, - - - 10c
BLACKSTONE, A A Cotton, per yd. - - - 9c
LAKE GEORGE, A Brown Cotton - - - 6c
LAWRENCE, L L Brown Cotton, - - - 6 1-2c
FINER GOODS, EQUALLY LOW.

Handsome Prints 4 1-2 cents up.

AMERICAN A BAGS, - - - - - 20c
STARK A BAGS, - - - - - 24c
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AN ELEGANT LINE OF

NEW DRESS GOODS
JUST OPENED, AT BOTTOM PRICES.

HAVE YOU SEEN THE

FAMOUS BREWSTER BOOT

LOOK AT OUR 1 DOLLAR SHAWLS.

BURT'S, GRAY BROS'. & ATWILL'S
FINE SHOES, ALL AT POPULAR PRICES.

CLOTHING, CLOTHING, AWAY DOWN.

LADIES' LINEN ULSTERS at - \$1.00 and \$1.25,
WORTH, - - - - - \$1.25 and \$1.75.
LADIES' SLIPPERS, and all SUMMER GOODS, at COST.

Mammoth & Medium CLOVER & TIMOTHY SEED
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COME AND SEE US. Resp. Yours,
W. J. & R. SELICK.

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SHERMAN & AVERY'S.
ALL THE LATEST STYLES!

PRICE ONLY FIFTY CENTS PER YARD.

Sherman & Avery.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

We have made the surrounding country black with Shoe Signs.

We have advertised our Shoe Department so extensively, that many have been led to believe that we deal exclusively in Boots and Shoes. This is not quite so, our Hat Department is complete.

We have in our Furnishing Department, latest novelties in Neck-Wear, Collars, Cuffs, Shirts, Gents' Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, etc., and we are now engaged in receiving and opening our Fall and Winter Stock.

DRY GOODS,

Ladies' and Gents' Hosiery, Underwear, etc.

We are prepared to give our patrons the very lowest prices, and expect to have a lively time this Fall if

Small Profits and a Large Stock will make it.

When you come to Paw Paw, drop in and see that we do sell something besides foot-wear.

Read all quotations, then save money by buying at **Broughton's Wide-awake Store**

LANDRETH'S PEDIGREE SEEDS

SEEDS For the MERCHANT on our New Plan SEEDS
SEEDS For the MARKET GARDENER SEEDS
SEEDS For the PRIVATE FAMILY SEEDS
Crown by ourselves on our own Farms

Handsome Illustrated Catalogue and Rural Register FREE TO ALL.
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DAVID LANDRETH & SONS, SEED GROWERS, PHILADELPHIA

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FLUSHED WITH SUCCESS

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BOOTS & SHOES

Ever Before Exhibited Under One Roof in Paw Paw.

Our assortment of styles is the most varied we have ever offered, comprising all the leading makes in

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Youths',

Women's,

Misses' &

Child's

BOOTS AND SHOES,

AND MORE

Rubber Goods

THAN THE COMBINED STOCKS OF ALL OTHER HOUSES IN THIS TOWN.

NO ONE, If they consult their own interests, will purchase one dollar's worth of

Boots, Shoes and Rubbers,

Before inspecting our GOODS and PRICES. We can at the least calculation, SAVE YOU FIFTEEN CENTS ON EVERY DOLLAR INVESTED.

We will be pleased to have you inspect

OUR FALL AND WINTER STOCK,

WHICH IS NOW COMPLETE.

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EVERYBODY COME

To the Fair, and don't forget to go and see the Live Harness Store of Forsyth & Cook. What a lovely lot of Fine Harnesses they have. A beautiful line of all Wool Blankets, the Finest Patterns and the Lowest Prices. No humbug in their business.

Total Department.

Ed. Darling is spending a few days in town.

Frank McEntee is visiting friends here for a few days.

The corn crop is heavy and is out of all danger from frost.

Hot weather for September. Mercury 86 degrees on Monday last.

A man who amounts to anything in this world, always has some two legged cur barking at his heels.

Geo. D. Boyce, of Porter, is credited with eight different premiums on his swine, at the State Fair now in session at Jackson.

Any one finding a lady's dolman between here and Lawrence, or in that place, will be liberally rewarded by leaving it at this office.

Co. "C" of the 4th Mich. Cavalry, held a reunion at John C. McLain's place in Porter, on Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

Speaking of the Egyptian war, the Post and Tribune says: "Christians are in danger at Damenhour." They cannot be very good christians.

Don't read Carroll & Co's. new double column ad. If you do, you will be sure to go and invest your spare cash in all the new boots and shoes you can buy.

And now comes Wells Mosier with an Old Mixon peach measuring ten and a half inches in circumference and weighing nine ounces. Such fruit is good enough for anybody.

Joe Luce is home from the north on a visit. He came to attend the wedding of his daughter, who was married on Wednesday last, to George Burns of Almena, Rev. D. Osborne officiating.

Brodhead Post, G. A. R. of this village, now numbers ninety-four members on its muster rolls, and has six outstanding applications, which, when the parties are mustered, will give it an even hundred members.

Capt. Smith has returned from his eastern trip looking hale and hearty, and all swelled up with clam chowder. His brother Lish accompanied him home. He don't sport so much of a bay window as the Capt. does.

J. C. Warner, Esq., is as happy as a King, and weighs within an ounce and a half of a ton and a half. Cause, a pair of boy babies born Friday, Sept. 15th. Joint weight 13 pounds. Mother and babies doing well, father ditto.

Our friends are trying to fill the boys in the NORTHERNER office with watermelons. Thus far the attempt is a failure. The latest attempt was made by L. Crandall, Esq., who deposited a fine one on our table last Wednesday. Fenner still cries for more.

Johnny Bryar, who has been for four years a clerk in the drug store of G. W. Longwell & Co., has formed a partnership with P. G. Forsyth, in the New York Drug Store, and enters upon the duties of his new position next Monday morning. We predict success for the new firm.

Dr. John L. Cross, of Bangor, recently went to Nebraska, seeking to improve his health. He died at Plum Creek in that State on the 13th inst., and his remains were brought home for burial. He was buried with Masonic honors. His wife, who was sent for, failed to reach him before he died.

H. W. Moon, the champion melon man, left some very fine specimens of his fruit on our table last Friday. His five acre patch contains many varieties, one of which produces melons weighing 80 lbs. when full grown. One of the specimens left with us weighed 29 lbs. and measured 31 by 44 inches in circumference.

One night last week some miscreants went into the garden of E. C. Hazard, Esq., of the village of Lawrence, and pulled up and destroyed his melons and cabbages. Tar and feathers would be altogether too elegant a suit for such villains. Nobody would shed tears if people should load their old shot guns and convert the hides of such miserable sneak thieves into sieves. When a man or boy gets so infernally mean as to steal from a crippled soldier, or wantonly destroy his crops, he is too mean to live.

On Monday last "Kay" Hagerman, a young man in the employ of E. O. Briggs, Esq., at the stove mill, met with a sad accident. While using a machine known as the "Yankee Whittier," his left hand got caught in the machine, mangle it terribly. He lost his thumb and forefinger entirely, and the remainder of his hand was badly cut to pieces. His wounds were dressed by Drs. Woodman, Dunning, and Hathaway. Hagerman was an industrious young man and the principal support of a widowed mother.

On Friday last we took a trip over the new narrow gauge railroad. The iron is laid to the town line of Hartford. The road is built in a very complete and substantial manner, the track being as solid and smooth as an old road. The builders have found some very deep cuts and fills, but the heaviest work is completed. There now remains less than two miles of grading and the entire road will be completed about Oct. 15th. The camp on the old fair ground at Lawrence, presents a busy scene. The old floral hall is used as a dining room, and a car on a side track is fitted up for the Supt's Head Quarters and sleeping room. Much credit is due to Mr. Hiling for his energy in pushing this enterprise to a successful end. The road will prove to be a great benefit and convenience to the people of this county, and to the travelling public in general.

A friend of the NORTHERNER, a member of Alvincent Colvin Post, G. A. R., of Gobleville, sends us the following report of the meeting of the veterans of the war at Elkhart, Ind., which should have appeared last week, but did not arrive in time: "The weather is salubrious, the park delightful, and the crowd becoming immense. About one thousand have already registered, and every train brings additions. A more hearty reception could not well be given, than was tendered to our Post on its arrival last night. Elmer Post and Bugle Notes Band escorted us to the island, where we spent a night in camp, as we were wont to do nearly twenty years ago. The attractions are various, not the least among them being the old war horse ridden by Col. Elmer, of the 7th Ind. Cav., after whom the Post at this place was named. The horse is nearly thirty years old. Everything indicates a big time.

Social Influence.

The following is an essay read by Mrs. S. Consolus, before the Farmers' Association:

My friends, as I had no subject given me, I did not know what to choose that would be of interest to you. I have been thinking about the influence we have over each other, as neighbors and friends. With what kind of influence are we surrounding our homes and ourselves? As I look in your faces to-day, I feel assured that these words fall not on the ears of the careless and unheeding, but present themselves to the heart and lives of those who are daily and hourly busy with the cares and duties of life, and ever on the alert to grasp any and every idea that will be for the good of their family and of the surrounding community. What is our influence at home? Is it one of love and freedom, or of discord and restraint? In a happy family there is no needless fault finding or harsh words. Pardon me if I am wrong, but I think the fathers are too apt to be harsh and reserved with their families. You know that they are sometimes styled the Lords of Creation, and some have such an inborn love of controlling and carrying out their notions, that they forfeit the respect and obedience of their children, and thus lose the influence which would guide them aright, and the opportunity is lost for laying the foundation of a noble and generous character. How important those influences which fix the habits and mould the character of those who will take our places here, and become the actors in the great drama of life. If the influence of earthly homes are to be carried to our Heavenly home, then how important that it should be good and true. The influence of home does not stop there, but is felt throughout the neighborhood and in society. Our neighbors know if everything is all right with us or not. Whether we will or not, we are continually showing our inner life to those around us. We cannot be too cautious of our words and works, all of which have a bearing on community. This influence is felt largely in the church. Few and far are the men and women of firm principle and steadfast example, in storm and sunshine, who are regularly to be found in their places in church. Every one knows that example is more powerful than precept. We may be silent, yet, by our very acts, exert an undying influence. Going to church is not every thing, but it is a long step in the right direction. We are judged by our home life more than by our great professions. For a few moments let us go back to our childhood's home. Do we not find there those precious influences, which have followed us and clustered around and kept us from many an evil way as we have passed along the journey of life? They were precious to us then, they are dear to us now. As the memories of our parents who long since passed over the other side, those influences remain. So it will be with us, our influence will live long after we too have passed away. In a greater or lesser extent we carry this with us into this association. Our words and acts will long be felt. Shall we not then restrain the hasty word which might injure our neighbors character? Shall we remember that little things make up the sum of life, and try for Christ's sake to leave a noble and true example?